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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77433

Masaru AKIYAMA

Appln. No.: 10/659,260

Group Art Unit: 3682

Confirmation No.: 3538

Examiner: Justin Mitchell KRAUSE

Filed: September 11, 2003

For: LINEAR GUIDE DEVICE AND METHOD FOR DESIGNING OR FORMING RACEWAY
GROOVE THEREOF

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of May 11, 2007 to October 22, 2007.

The Office is hereby directed and authorized to charge the statutory filing fee of \$460.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, 1.17 and 1.492 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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